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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INCREASING AND MODULATING THE YIELD SHEAR  
STRESS OF ELECTORRHEOLOGICAL FLUIDS

Enclosed are (in addition to the specification):

- ☒ 10 sheets of drawing.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to Temple University of the Commonwealth System of Higher Education
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ Applicant is entitled to small entity status.
- ☐ Claim to Right of Priority w/certified copy of \_\_\_\_ application no(s). \_\_\_\_.
- ☐ This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. \_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_.

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